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CONTROL METHOD FOR EXTERNAL IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of October 5, 2007, Applicant has concurrently filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114. This Amendment is being submitted to support the RCE. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.